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DEPUTIES' MEETING

Friday, 29 November 1957

PRESENT: Mr. Dulles, General Cabell, Col. White, [redacted]
Messrs. [redacted] Sheldon, Kirkpatrick, [redacted]
Mr. [redacted]

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Messrs. [redacted] and Bagnell briefed those present on collection and dissemination of Soviet scientific technical information. The Director noted he had asked Mr. Kirkpatrick to have a member of his staff look into these procedures.

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Mr. Dulles:

a) Noted that Khrushchev had been making a number of speeches recently and commented it might be worthwhile to publish selected portions. He said he realized that to compile all of Khrushchev's statements would be too long, however, brief mention might be included as to where full statements could be obtained. No decision was made as to who should do this and Mr. [redacted] undertook to discuss it later with the Director.

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b) Noted he had read with a great deal of interest the DD/P memo [redacted] on Gretchko and asked if there was any more information available on this individual and/or his family. Mr. Sheldon said he thought there was and undertook to read the report and include additional items that might be on file in OCI.

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c) Referred to the recent report [redacted] and after some discussion it was agreed that we might have been more "careful" in our comment. The Director said he desired to see prior to dissemination outside the Agency any future reports of this nature. ACTION: [redacted] DO IT

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Mr. [redacted]

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Colonel White:

Noted his intention of calling Mr. Macy of the Bureau of the Budget and advising him that there had been no change in the stand we had taken in our meeting with Mr. Brundage on 26 November regarding a possible cut in the CIA budget.

25X1 b) Noted that Macy had again raised the question of his inspecting CIA activities [] and recommended that someone from DD/P and the Comptroller's Office accompany him. The Director said he did not believe Macy should visit [] at this time and asked Colonel White to work out with Mr. [] who should go along with him. 25X1

25X1 c) Noted that a plan for PANAM to help out [] might blow up. 25X1 Col. White said that while [] is in bad shape it does have widespread international routes and it might be worthwhile for us to look into whether or not it might be feasible for us to acquire this Airline. The Director said he saw no objection to consideration being given this proposal but made it clear we could not tie it in with CAT.



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